CITY OF SANTA BARBARA WATERFRONT DEPARTMENT

MEMORANDUM

Date: January 19, 2017

To: Harbor Commission

From: Scott Riedman, Waterfront Director

Subject: Goleta Beach Sand Re-nourishment Project

RECOMMENDATION:

That Harbor Commission receive a presentation from the County of Santa Barbara Community Services Department on the Goleta Beach Sand Re-nourishment Project.

DISCUSSION:

Goleta Beach Park has a history of coastal erosion that threatens recreational resources and utilities. The County of Santa Barbara has placed revetment along the beach to prevent erosion with permit conditions requiring the revetment to be covered with sand. West Beach has a surplus of sand in the intertidal zone and adjacent to the Federal Channel. The City and County of Santa Barbara have collaborated several times and as recently as 2010 to export sand from West Beach to cover the revetment at Goleta Beach. A similar project is currently underway and a representative from the County's Community Services Department will make a presentation on the project and status of Goleta Beach.

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